

**THRIFT PLEDGE.**  
Because I am a loyal American, because my country needs my help, because what I save will help me and what is saved in America will help the whole world, I promise to live economically and save all that I can; to set aside regularly a portion of what I earn and loan it to my government by investing it in War Savings Stamps.

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## SALVATION ARMY STATE CHAIRMAN URGES LIBERALITY

**Telegram Says Marty County Working Forces Are Failing—U. S. Davis Urges Supreme Effort Tomorrow to Pledge Quota of \$3,000 for Wilbarger County.**

"T. S. Davis, Vernon, Texas:

"A great slump in many counties of the working forces of the Salvation Army Home Service Campaign is evident since Tuesday, which if continued throughout the State will defeat the campaign and show Texas to the Nation as uncharitable towards its unfortunate citizens. May I depend on you to urge your people to greater efforts that Texas may not appear a slacker in this cause?"

"Signed: JOHN H. KIRBY, State chairman."

While Wilbarger county is not far from its quota of \$3,000 on the Salvation Army drive, the above telegram to County Chairman U. S. Davis shows the need for a supreme effort tomorrow. With money as plentiful as it is, and with the unflinching good reports by the boys who went overseas of the Salvation Army's work for them, Mr. Davis feels that \$3,000 is an inconsiderable sum for Wilbarger county to offer.

According to reports with Mr. Davis last night Farmers Valley had secured \$2,500 more than its quota of \$84; Thompson was \$3,500 over its quota of \$49.50; Grapevine had pledged seven times more than its quota; Mack, James, Harrold, Oklaunion, and Tolbert were all "over the top." Fargo, with a quota of \$140, had reported only \$54; West Vernon had pledged only \$61.20 on its quota of \$142; Parsley had pledged only \$28.50 on a quota of \$42. Other communities had not been heard from.

The four districts in Vernon had more than pledged their quota, although a number of citizens amply able to give refused to help.

A complete report will be published Tuesday, with the names and amounts each one pledged.

### MISSIONARY RUTHS ELECT.

**Miss Lora Long Succeeds Mrs. S. E. Trevathan Who Moved to Wichita Falls.**

Miss Lora Long has been elected bread baker of the Missionary Ruths, to flour; Mrs. S. E. Trevathan, who has prize for to Wichita Falls. The election Blair took Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. and Giner Rogers, assisted by Mrs. D. D. Winkelson.

Misses R. D. L. Kilgough and R. S. Lelie-Conie were elected delegates to the district meeting to be held in Quannah Tuesday, October 7. The society decided to conduct its mission study jointly with the Women Missionary Society, which is studying the same book. Hereafter one meeting each month will be held in some home and one at the church.

Miss Anna May Pinkston favored the visitors with a violin solo, after which a salad course was served.

Mrs. B. O. Brown will be hostess Wednesday afternoon, October 8, at her home on South Wood street. She will be assisted by Mrs. John Brown. The meeting is held Wednesday instead of Tuesday because of the district meeting in Quannah Tuesday.

### MANY VISIT RED CROSS BOOTH

**Owing to Inability to Get Nurse Courses in Vernon Are Postponed.**

The Wilbarger county chapter of the American Red Cross has a booth fitted up as an office in the main building. Miss Esther Swartwood, secretary of the Home Service section, is in charge and answers many questions concerning various phases of the Red Cross. The room is decorated in the American colors and the picture of the president of this society as well as of the United States looks down from the wall.

It has been announced that owing to inability of Red Cross headquarters to supply a nurse at this time, the course in nursing which the local chapter had planned to begin in a short time will be postponed. The chapter hopes to give this course at a later date.

## VERNON DUROC HOG GETS HIGH HONORS AT INTERNATIONAL

**High Orion Lady 2nd Is Given Sixth Place in World's Greatest Swine Show—Sow Belonging to Daniel Bond Was Taken Out of Breeding Pen Only One Month Ago.**

High Orion Lady 2nd won sixth place at the International Swine Show held in Des Moines, Ia. A telegram to this effect came to The Record from H. A. Klingler, who is in Des Moines in charge of the hogs from Vernon.

High Orion Lady 2nd belongs to the Vernon Duroc Jersey Farm, which is owned by Daniel Bond. She is a litter mate of Ed Kern's famous one eared sow whose offsprings have won honors at every show in America. This is the first time Mr. Bond has shown High Orion Lady 2nd, and he is gratified that she was placed when in competition with the finest hogs in the world.

High Orion Lady 2nd had been fitted for the show only about a month, whereas it requires nine months to a year to best fit a hog for the International. Until August Mr. Bond's sow was in the breeding pen. Because of this, it is of larger significance that she should win. However, when the representative of the Duroc bulletin was in Vernon recently he told Mr. Bond that High Orion Lady 2nd was good enough, if properly fitted, to win in any show. She is three years old.

Nothing has been heard from Vernon Lone Star, the boar which was entered in the pig class, and weighed 500 pounds the day he was a year old last month.

Sending his hogs to the International made it impossible for Mr. Bond to exhibit at the County Fair.

### WAS BLESSED BY POPE.

**Remus Kelly, Discharged Sailor, Visited Relatives in Vernon Saturday.**

Remus Kelly, son of Ben Kelly of San Antonio and nephew of R. S. Kelly and Mmes. B. J. Parker and J. D. Sumner, visited his relatives in Vernon Saturday. He was recently discharged from the navy after having served for some time on the Battleship Arkansas. He was en route to Amarillo, where he has accepted a position with the Panhandle Lumber Company.

Mr. Kelly was a radio operator in the navy and has traveled extensively. Among the most interesting of his experiences was the occasion when he was blessed by the Pope at Rome. He described the incident as being impressive in the extreme and beset with a great deal of formality. This honor was bestowed upon him for extraordinary service.

### HEARD VICTOR ARTISTS.

**E. L. Pendleton Attended Musical Program Given in Fort Worth Wednesday Night.**

E. L. Pendleton returned Friday from Fort Worth, where he attended a musical program given by six Victor artists. The company was composed of Van Eps, banjo; Billy Murray, tenor; comedian; Henry Burr, tenor; Frank Croxton, basso; Monroe Silver, monologist; Albert Campbell, lyric tenor; Fred Banta, pianist; J. H. Meyers, baritone. The Sterling Trio and Peerless quartet also took part in the program.

The Victor program drew one of the largest crowds ever attracted by a similar program. Mr. Pendleton reports. The artists also appeared in Dallas.

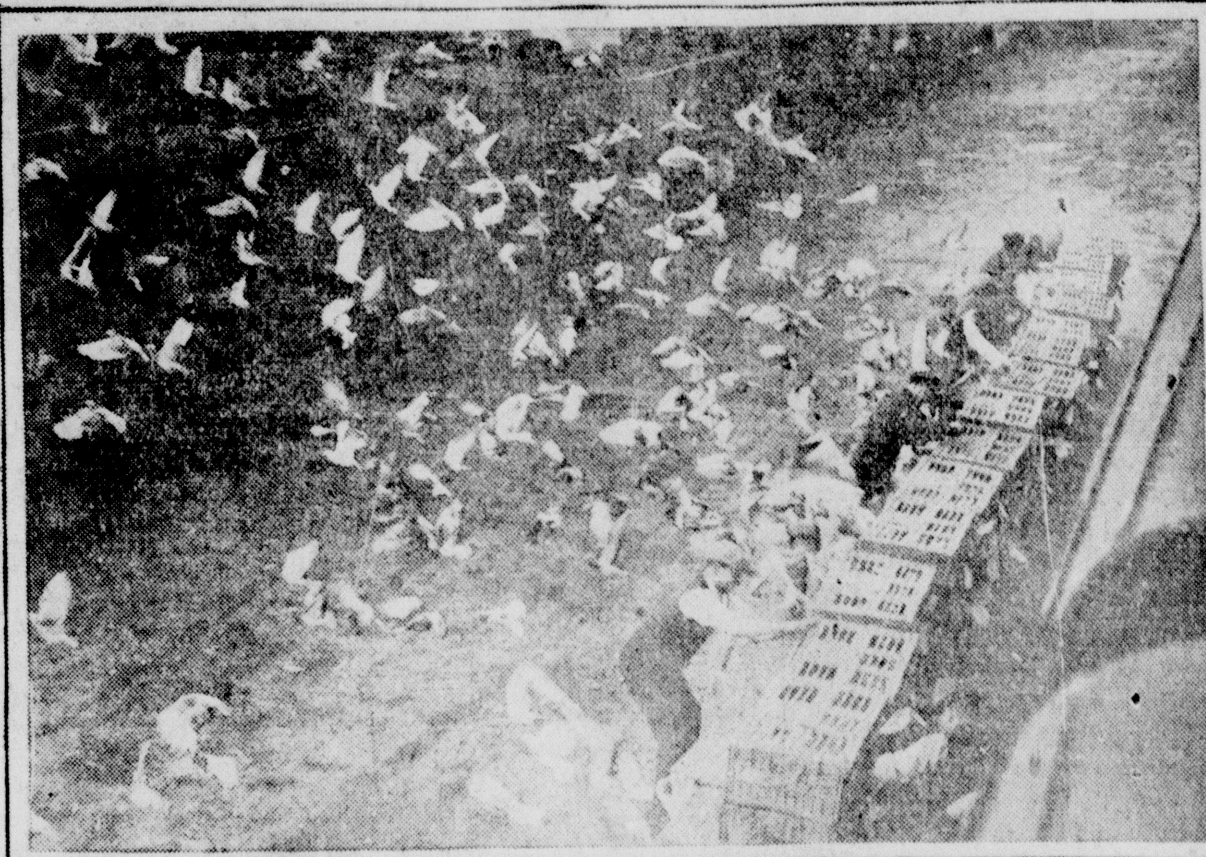
### FATHER OF MRS. C. P. ROSS AND SAM WILLIAMS DIES

J. J. Williams, father of Mrs. C. P. Ross and Sam Williams of this city, died at his home in Tuttle, Okla., Saturday night after a short illness. Funeral services were conducted in that city on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ross and Mr. Williams were called to the bedside of their father but he died before their arrival.

Friends will unite in sympathy for the bereaved relatives.

## PIGEON RACING IS RENEWED IN BRITAIN



FIRST PIGEON RACE OF PEACE TIME

N.Y.H. PHOTO.

Pigeons were used extensively during the world war, and as a consequence pigeon racing was forbidden in order that the homing pigeons would not interfere with the birds used by the military authorities. This practice was resumed with the Homers' Grand National, when several thousands of birds were released at Bournemouth, in England. The birds are released from their cage homes in the trains that bring them to the starting place of the races. The accompanying pictures show the thousands of "homers" at the moment of their release from the wicker baskets that brought them to Bournemouth.

## COTTON IS BRINGING FARMERS \$200 BALE

**COUNTY WEIGHER REPORTS 820 BALES HANDLED UP TO LAST NIGHT.**

With cotton selling at from 33 to 34 cents per pound, middling basis, the farmers who have had staple to market are, almost without exception, disposing of it rather than take a chance on the price later on. At this price bales that weigh a little over 500 pounds are bringing \$200 and over, counting the money received for the seed. Cotton seed are quoted at \$50 a ton and the average production per bale is half of a ton.

The highest price received for cotton yesterday was 33 1/2.

The staple has been opening rapidly during the last few days of warm weather, and farmers are gathering their crops with all possible speed, considering the shortage of hands. County Weigher I. L. Bryant reports that he had weighed 820 bales up till last night.

### BAPTISTS TO ORGANIZE SUNDAY.

**Plans for 75 Million Campaign Will Be Discussed at White City and Tolbert.**

Beginning Sunday, the Baptists of Wilbarger will start the work of organization in preparation for the 75 Million Dollar Campaign. Meetings will be held at the Tolbert and White City churches Sunday for the purpose of organizing these congregations and the work will be taken up with the various churches of the county later until the organization of the entire county is perfected.

The Tolbert and White City meetings will be presided over by Rev. W. T. Rouse, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Geo. J. Mason.

Under the plans decided upon by the leaders of the campaign, the organization, not only of the counties, but of the smallest churches of the county will be perfected to the last detail before the actual drive for funds is started.

### Pitts Builds Modern Barn.

H. Y. Pitts has just completed the construction of a modern barn on his farm several miles west of Vernon. The structure is thirty by forty-six feet. The granaries are built of concrete, and a number of other modern conveniences have been installed.

### Three Cars Delivered.

The Robinson Motor Company has delivered Buick touring cars to Eunice Wilson and D. E. Morris. Smith Auto Sales Company report the sale of a Scripps-Booth car to Mr. McDavid of Electra.

### Ed Theban Resigns as Janitor.

Ed Theban has resigned his position as janitor of the court house, effective October 1. His successor has not been appointed.

## TAX COLLECTOR TO HAVE NEW OFFICE

**WORK OF REMODELING COURT-HOUSE IS BEING CARRIED ON RAPIDLY.**

The work of remodeling the offices in the courthouse with a view to transferring the collector and assessor from the northeast to the northwest room is being pushed with all possible speed and County Judge E. L. McHugh hopes to be able to make the change within the next few weeks. A window is being cut in the north wall of the small office, formerly used by County Agent N. R. Tisdal and this room will serve as a vestibule, the payment of taxes and other business with the collector and assessor being transacted through this window. This arrangement will serve to give these officers a great deal more privacy than they have enjoyed heretofore. The collector and assessor will also be given the use of the northwest room in the second story which will be conveniently accessible by means of the stairway connecting from the room below.

The laboratory formerly located in the northwest room has been moved to the second story.

The northeast corner room, when vacated, will be available for the use of the county clerk, who has had to employ so many clerks that her office is overcrowded.

### STOLEN CAR RECOVERED.

**Machine Belonging to Wylie Hunt on Route 2 Found Near Electra Tuesday Afternoon.**

The Ford car that was stolen from Wylie Hunt Sunday night was located by officers Tuesday afternoon in the country near Electra. The car is being returned to Vernon and will be delivered to Mr. Hunt. The man or men, who took it was not apprehended.

The machine was stolen from in front of the First Methodist Church in Vernon on West Peace street while Mr. Hunt and family were attending church services. Mr. Hunt lives west of town several miles on Route 2.

### Kansas City Attorney Here.

Glen L. Bruner of Kansas City, Missouri, has been in Vernon several days to consult with his brothers, Ben and Roland, Jr., and to complete arrangements for carrying on extensive operations in Wilbarger county. Mr. Bruner is a well known corporation lawyer. He was general counsel for one of the large liability insurance organizations and established legal departments in forty-three states. For the past few years he has been counsel for large operators in oil lands, and his coming to Vernon personally means that his clients are much interested in prospects for oil in this county. He went from here to Wichita Falls.

## WILL DRILL 3,500 FEET NEAR TOLBERT

**WICHITA FALLS MAN ANNOUNCES ARKANSAS PEOPLE WILL MAKE DEEP TEST.**

J. G. Hix of Wichita Falls was in town one day this week, looking after his oil leases northwest of Vernon. Mr. Hix just returned from Fort Scott, Arkansas, where he closed a deal to drill a well 3,500 feet deep on one of his leases near Tolbert.

The people Mr. Hix is dealing with in this project are well connected, one being a prominent banker of Fort Smith, Ark., and one a son of an ex-governor of Arkansas.

This makes the third well Mr. Hix has secured for the country around Tolbert, and he states that he is now working on plans to get another well drilled.

### DALLAS MAN LIKES VERNON.

**F. A. Briggs Surprised at Modern Appearance of Business Houses and Paving.**

F. A. Briggs, managing editor of The Dallas News, likes Vernon. He spent a day here recently and inspected the town closely. The street paving interested the Dallas man, and he was surprised to learn that the contract has been let for two miles additional paving, as well as for four miles of highway toward Oklaunion—all to be of concrete or brick.

"Your stores are remarkably modern," Mr. Briggs said. "The window displays are not crowded and compare favorably with those seen in the cities."

It was several years ago when Mr. Briggs was in Vernon previous to this visit, and he recalled many of the crude appearances of the town at that time, such as few sidewalks, unkempt streets (where there were streets), and a forest of weeds and sand bars. About all Mr. Briggs found on this visit to remind him of the former one was weeds, although most of them have been cut—thanks to the women—and some places on the streets that needed cleaning very badly; nor did these escape his attention.

Mr. Briggs arranged while here to get a great deal of additional publicity for the oil fields in Wilbarger county.

### Underwood Building Residence.

J. M. Underwood has let the contract to J. A. Carney for the construction of a five-room residence on his lots immediately in front of his home place in East Vernon. The house will be modern and will cost about \$4,500.

### J. F. Sloan Buys Home.

In a deal negotiated by Blackwood, Larimore & Oates, W. C. Dunlap has sold a place on West Wanderer street to J. F. Sloan. Mr. Sloan will occupy the new property as a home.

## PASSENGER CARRYING AIRPLANE IS ONE OF COUNTY FAIR'S POPULAR FEATURES—FEW HAVE RIDDEN

**Agricultural and Live Stock Exhibits Rank High in Quality But Are Somewhat of a Disappointment, Officials Say, as to Quantity—Free Trips to State Fair Awarded to Boys and Girls.**

One of the most popular features of the County Fair is the airplane exhibition staged every day. The machine, which is of the passenger-carrying type, is in charge of Lieutenant J. C. Touchstone. A race between this machine and an automobile was a popular event yesterday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Howard is the only person who has availed herself of the opportunity to ride in the air-plane. A number of local citizens have signed up for a ride this afternoon.

The agricultural exhibits this year rank high in quality but are somewhat of a disappointment in quantity. Lon Byars, who has charge of this department, attributes the lack of exhibits to the fact that the farmers have been too busy to prepare their products for exposition.

Garden truck, particularly, is attracting a great deal of attention. The exhibits of pumpkin yam potatoes, pumpkins, pepper and apples are as good as could be found anywhere. Two stalks of tobacco, grown in Wilbarger county, are proving of interest to many who have never seen the plant in its natural state. It is generally thought that tobacco can not be grown in this country. Another interesting exhibit is a jar of almond nuts—also a Wilbarger county product.

The live stock display is subject to the same criticism as regards the number on display. Those being shown are of the very highest class, but the number on exposition does not come up to the expectation of the fair officials. The hog exhibit is the most complete. Many of the Poland China and Duroc Jersey hogs would show up well at the State Fair. A number of fine cattle are entered and are a good advertisement in that industry, although incomplete. Some fine horses and a number of jacks complete the exhibition in this department.

The awards in the agricultural and live stock departments have not been announced.

Free trips to the State Fair have been awarded to the following members of the girls' poultry and canning clubs: Everett Sherman, Oklaunion, Route 1; Rama Parmley, Vernon; Ruby Sellers, Route 1, Chillicothe; Ruth Tisdal, Vernon; Pearl Mathus, Route 3, Vernon; Lois Burefield, Route 1, Vernon; Lila Alred, Route 2, Chillicothe; Julia Morris, Harrold; Leslie King, Oklaunion; Luna Killingsworth, and Malissa Inman, Route 2, Tolbert; and Lona Raper, Route 2, Vernon.

The boys who won free trips in the pig and agricultural clubs are Fernon Priddy and Earl January, Haulk; Thomas Sullivan and Oscar White, East Vernon; Everett Sherman, Thompson; Lige Cook, Tolbert; Owen Huddleston, Hany; Carroll and Ray Nix, Oklaunion; Tommy Smith, Fargo.

**Races Attract Crowds.**

The races at the County Fair are attracting crowds. The track is in fine condition and some good records are being made.

Following are the results of the first two days:

First day, 2:17 trot—Walking John, 1-1-1; The Cabot, 2-2-2; George W., 3-3-3; time, 2:29 1-4.

2:17 pace—Don B., 2-1-1; Prince Albert, 1-2-3; Romeo Wagner, 3-3-2, time, 2:28.

1-4-Mile Dash—Croton Oil, 1; Tommie C., 2; Susan B., 3; Blaney Reeves, 4; Pete Sneed, 5; time, 25.

3-4-Mile Dash—Iron Man, 1; Concha, 2; Marshall Tillman, 3; Jean K., 4; L. G. Griffin, 5; time, 1:17.

Second day: Special pace—Romeo Wagner, 1-1-1; Don Z., 2-2-1; (These two horses tied for first in third heat); Divie Hal, 3-3-3; time, 2:21.

1-2-Mile Dash—Croton Oil, 1; Ethel H., 2; Jean K., 3; time, 48.

5-8-Mile Dash—Concho, 1; Effie Randal, 2; Patsy Harris, 2; time, 1:34 1-2.

Mile Dash—Lola, 1; Iron Man, 2; Barbara Shilling, 3; time, 1:45 1-5.

Each of three heats is counted as a race and the time given in the harness races is the best made in the three races.

### Will Preach at Red Bluff.

Elder Tom Walker of the local Church of Christ will preach at the Red Bluff school house Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All are invited.

## 300 CHICKENS ARE EXHIBITED AT FAIR

**MANY AWARDS MADE ON POULTRY, CHINA, PAINTING AND FLOWERS.**

Three hundred chickens are being exhibited at the County Fair, including most of the standard breeds.

Adam Donges won first pen, first pullet, and first cockerel on Buff Orpingtons. Second pen went to Miss Onie Lee Ferguson.

J. E. Collins won first cockerel and second pen on Rhode Island Reds. T. A. Berry won second cockerel, first pen, first pullet, and first hen.

On Barred Rocks, I. C. Jenkins won first pen, first cockerel, and first hen.

Mrs. Mary Hardage won first pen, first cockerel, first hen, and first pullet on Anconas.

In the display of White Rocks, Mrs. J. E. Lutz won first pen, cockerel, hen, and pullet.

Mrs. Mary Colwen won first on colored Muscovy Ducks. The award on White Pekin ducks went to W. E. Sullivan, as did the prize on geese. On Buff Orpington ducks, first prize went to Mrs. N. C. Pike.

G. E. Key of Electra won first pen, first cockerel, first hen, and first pullet on Golden Wyandottes.

The art booth, under the management of Miss Beulah Ladd and Mrs. Cland Reed, as usual each year, has its crowd who appreciate the fine arts. The display is very beautiful and covers a wide range of subjects. Under its heading are grouped, both water and oil, china and tapestry painting.

Miss Esther Swartwood won on collection of six pieces, comb tray, and decorated stein.

Collection of china, six pieces, Miss Marianna Covert.

Copied head, Miss Naomi Devenport. Tapestry painting, Mrs. S. W. Bailey. Collection of oil paintings, Miss Margaret Thomas.

Landscape in water, Miss Beulah Ladd; Miss Minnie King, second.

Still life, Miss Abene Calloway.

Collection of six water colors, Miss Beulah Ladd.

**Many Flowers and Plants Exhibited.**

To Miss Nellie Pettit goes the distinction of having the most beautiful booth, for flowers lend themselves so readily to any decoration. Stately palms and cannaes, lovely roses, spicy geraniums in their varied colorings and feathery ferns make a cool, fragrant, restful and delightful nook.

Following is a list of awards: Best cut rose, Mrs. O. A. Swinburn. Best bouquet of six roses, Mrs. O. A.



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TODAY—FRIDAY.  
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**ELSIE FERGUSON**  
in "SOCIETY EXILE."

TUESDAY—MARGARITA FISHER in "TIG-  
ER LILY."

WEDNESDAY—"CUSTER'S LAST FIGHT."

THURSDAY—Starting AURORA MARDIG-  
ANIAN in "AUCTION OF SOULS."

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## MANY MOTOR CARS BOUGHT THIS YEAR

52,530 AUTOMOBILES AND TRUCKS  
BOUGHT IN TEXAS IN 8  
1-2 MONTHS.

Austin, Sept. 27.—From Jan. 1, 1918 to Jan. 1, 1919, there were 25,118 motor vehicles registered by the state highway department. For the year of 1919, up to Sept. 17, licenses have been issued to 303,648 motor vehicles, a difference of 52,530 for eight and one-half months of 1919, as against the whole year of 1918. These figures include pleasure cars, trucks of all kinds, etc., however, they do not include the registration of some 435 trucks and automobiles received from the federal government and recently distributed by the state highway department.

At the present rate there will be a much greater increase during the next three months. Labor and material conditions are so unsettled that the factories are unable to meet the demand for automobiles and trucks of the above figures would be greatly increased. A little study of this matter will give one some idea of what may be expected in the way of an increase in the number of automobiles in Texas after things become normal and the factories are able to meet the demand.

This increase can be attributed to a certain extent to the oil developments, while a great deal of it is due to better business conditions and the great amount of road construction work that is being undertaken by the various counties, necessitating the purchase of motor trucks and other equipment for the proper carrying out of the extensive plans of some of the counties and cities. The thorough test to which the motor vehicle was subjected by the government both in the United States and in France during the war, for hauling freight, transporting troops and for general passenger service has proved beyond a doubt that it is the most economical and expedient mode of transportation that can be found if it has the proper type of road over which to travel, and judging from the present road construction program of the United States, the proper type of road is an assured thing. The proper construction of roads takes time and while the present day generation will derive a great deal of benefit from the system of good roads over the country that is gradually and persistently growing, generations to come are going to depend upon the roads we are building to such an extent that they will wonder how their forefathers ever managed to get along without them as long as they did.

Much Automobile Trading.

We are a great bunch of traders too, and this habit seems to be growing on

us daily as shown by the number of transfers of motor vehicles, according to the records of the state highway department. During the year of 1918 there were 25,514 transfers and during the eight and one-half months of this year, up to the middle of September, there were 44,910 transfers, a difference of 20,396. By January 1, 1920, there will have been more than twice as many transfers or "trades" in motor vehicles as in the year 1918. Of course, a great many people who were waiting until "after the war" to get a new car, and until restrictions were lifted on gasoline, etc., have traded their old car in on a new one.

The chauffeur has evidently found a dislike to his job, notwithstanding the great numbers of men that have been released from military service, who were formerly chauffeurs and were in the army during the year of 1918, there will be little increase in the number of chauffeurs' license issued in 1919. A total of 22,738 chauffeurs were issued licenses during the year of 1918 and up to the present time during the year of 1919 only 21,197 licenses have been issued. Very few of these are women. It is evident that the great number of the women who took up this work during the war to relieve men for military service were only too glad to give their job back to them when they returned. It is possible too, that one reason for the decline is that so many people were forced to drive their own cars because of the great number of men in military service, and have found that they can

do it so well that they do not care to put the chauffeur back on his job.

### Fewer Motorcycles.

Motorcycles are not so much in favor according to the records of the department which show 3,296 motorcycles registered in 1918 as against 2,113 for 1919 up to the present date. The first of January 1920 will probably show approximately the same number of motorcycles in use during this year as in 1918. Though the owner of the motorcycle has found that he derives a certain amount of pleasure out of a good road and a motorcycle, he will get a lot more out of an automobile, so he has probably traded the motorcycle in exchange for someone's Ford with possibly a little to boot.

The dealers were issued 2,351 licenses during 1918 and up to the present time this year 2,113 licenses. It is not their fault though that they have not taken out more licenses because they could sell the car if they could get it, and if they could get it they would take out a license.

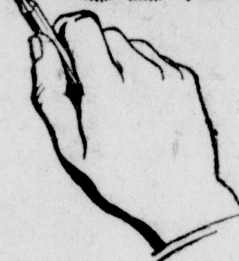
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"AUCTION OF SOULS"

is AURORA MARDIGANIAN, herself.

She appears in the picture to re-enact her terrible experience while a captive. The picture is made from the true story of Aurora Mardiganian's life, written by H. L. Gates under the title "RAVISHED ARMENIA." Due to the type of the production and the fact that some scenes in the production are so awful that a description of the reasons surrounding same and an explanation is almost necessary, we feel that children should not see this picture unless accompanied by parents, therefore children under fifteen years of age will not be admitted unless with parents or with parents consent.

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MONDAY.

"MAID OF THE STORM"

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Harold Lloyd Comedy.

TUESDAY.

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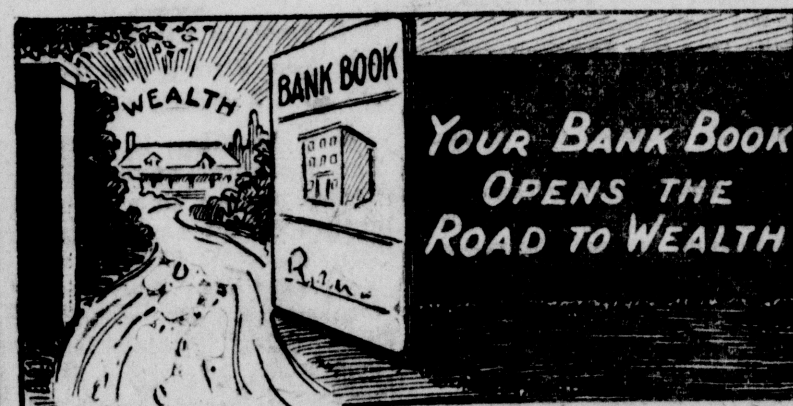
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### Thalia News.

Thalia, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—This community was visited by several light showers of rain the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Flemming were among the shoppers in Crowell Saturday.

Miss Vivian Coffman left Sunday for Canyon, where she will enter college again.

Miss Sue Thompson entertained the young people with a party Friday night.

Rev. White preached at the Church of Christ here Monday and Tuesday night. He went to Fargo Wednesday, where he was called to hold a protracted meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradford and baby spent Thursday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jao. Bradford, and family.

Tom Johnson is back from Dallas, where he has been attending school.

Miss Dot Thompson of Crowell spent Thursday night with her cousin, Mrs. Walter Banister, and family.

John Thompson returned home Sunday morning after a few days' stay in Dallas, where he went to be at the bedside of his relatives. He left them much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Remels visited with the latter's parents, J. A. Abston, and family, Sunday and attended Sunday school here.

Ed Bledsoe and Miss Emma Maine motored to Vernon Friday night to meet Carl Bledsoe, who came after his wife and children, who have been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Maine, and family. They left Saturday morning for Lubbock, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Myrtle Huntley visited her sister, Mrs. Cap Adkins, Saturday night and attended the party at Mr. Schoed-

ers. Ewald and Miss Alma Schroeder entertained their many young friends of the Thalia and Rayland community with a party Saturday night. A very large crowd was present, including fifteen discharged soldiers. Every one left thanking the host and hostess for the delightful time they had and wishing that they may spend many more evenings as pleasant as this one.

There was a traveling show in our little city Friday night. Quite a number attended.

Mrs. Grover Phillips is on the sick list.

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## CANNED FRUIT AND TEXTILE EXHIBITS DELIGHT VISITORS

**Special Praise Is Given Younger Women for Excellence Shown in Culinary Art—Gun Used in Ireland 260 Years Ago Is Shown in Display of Curios—Brass Dish 700 Years Old.**

Special mention should be made of the fine display of canned fruits, vegetables and textile articles made by the girls of this county. The booth is in charge of the county home demonstration agent, Miss Ohmie Wilcox, and assistant, Miss Edith Lacy. Three booths have been decorated by these young women, two of which are used for the fine array of canned goods and display of the eggs that have been exhibited for prizes. The booths are decorated in red and green, the club colors.

The new process, cold pack method was used and the articles put up look as though they were just taken from the garden and orchards. It does not seem possible that such a variety of fruits and vegetables could have been canned by girls of ten years of age. The county has always been noted for its splendid cooks and house keepers but the women of today must look to their laurels or the women of tomorrow will outstrip them.

One booth has been fitted up with a room, a dainty thing with its white furniture and blue hangings. This shows what can be done with little money and good taste by the girl who really cares.

The curios, presided over by Mrs. Bertha Ross, assisted by Mrs. R. H. Coffey, are very interesting to those who like the things of our mothers. In this collection may be found a counterpane 100 years old and others down to the more sprightly times of 1870.

**China Dish 700 Years Old.**  
A hammered brass dish from China is reputed to be 700 years old and looks it. A gun used in an uprising in Ireland, 260 years ago owned by Robert Boyle. Other things of interest are shown but the crowd around the spinning wheel owned by Mrs. G. W. Buoy of Odell seems to hold the center of the stage.

The textile department is full of handiwork that if priced by the time and patience taken with it would be of intrinsic value. Such intricate stitches in both dainty garments and table linens is beyond the comprehension of mere man. Miss Hattie Rodgers presides over this exhibit. The prizes will not be awarded here until tomorrow, the last day of the fair.

The yellow and white draped booth of the culinary art display with Mrs. O. T. Warlick and Mrs. W. K. Long in charge is of much interest to the crowds that stand about the counters and look with longing eyes at the cookery displayed therein. The canned fruit also came in for attention.

Prizes awarded in the culinary department went to the following women:

On breads: Mrs. Harry Mason and Mrs. U. S. Davis first and second on bread baked from Belle of Vernon flour; Mrs. S. H. Johnson received first prize for graham bread. Mrs. C. M. Blair took the prizes on ginger bread and doughnuts. Mrs. M. G. Neathery won first on cinnamon and light rolls, while Mrs. S. H. Johnson and Mrs. Lela Albright took second respectively. On nut bread, Mrs. C. M. Blair and Mrs. U. S. Davis were the winners. Mrs. C. J. Farrell won both ribbons on brown bread. Mrs. C. M. Blair and Mrs. C. J. Farrell won on coffee cake. Mrs. S. H. Johnson and Mrs. C. J. Farrell got first and second on spice cake.

**Awards on Cakes and Pies.**

The following won first and second on the different variety of cakes listed: chocolate, Mrs. J. L. Swartwood, Mrs. Harry Mason; coconut, Mrs. M. G. Neathery, Mrs. J. L. Swartwood; devil's food, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; potato cake, Mrs. C. J. Farrell, Mrs. S. H. Johnson; ginger cookies, Mrs. C. M. Blair; oatmeal cookies, Mrs. S. H. Johnson, Mrs. C. J. Farrell.

In pies the following won: pumpkin, Mrs. J. H. Pettit and Mrs. C. M. Blair; potato, Mrs. C. M. Blair; apple, Mrs. Lela Albright and Mrs. M. G. Neathery.

In canned fruits and vegetables Mrs. J. H. Pettit and Mrs. Mary Hardage won first and second on dew berries; plums, Mrs. N. R. Tisdal, Mrs. W. A. Tapp; peaches, Mrs. Harry Mason, Mrs. Mary Hardage; pears, Mrs. J. E. Collins and Mrs. J. H. Pettit; grapes, Mrs. J. H. Pettit and Mrs. W. A. Tapp; tomatoes, Mrs. Mary Hardage, Mrs. Harry Mason; beets, Mrs. H. Mason and M. G. Neathery; beans green, Mrs. W. P. Durbin and Mrs. M. G. Neathery; wax beans, Mrs. J. H. Pettit and Mrs. M. G. Neathery; corn, Mrs. Mary Hardage and Mrs. M. G. Neathery; squash, Mrs. C. M. Blair, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; turnip greens and spinach,

Mrs. M. G. Neathery; okra, Mrs. Mary Hardage and Mrs. M. G. Neathery; black eye peas, Mrs. N. R. Tisdal and Mrs. Mary Hardage; sweet potato, Mrs. Mary Hardage.

**Many Women Exhibited 12 Varieties.**  
In the collection of twelve fruits and vegetables: Mrs. Mary Hardage and Mrs. M. G. Neathery; peach butter, Mrs. Mary Hardage and Mrs. C. J. Farrell; apple butter, Mrs. Mary Hardage and Mrs. Jasper Randall; plum butter, Mrs. J. H. Pettit and Mrs. Joe Napier; black berry jelly, Mrs. Joe Napier and Mrs. C. J. Farrell; crab apple jelly, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; grape jelly, Mrs. M. G. Neathery, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; quince jelly, Mrs. Mary Hardage; jam jelly, Mrs. C. M. Blair and Mrs. C. J. Farrell; collection of six jellies, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; apple jelly, Mrs. Mary Hardage, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; peach preserves, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; cherry preserves, Mrs. M. G. Neathery, Mrs. Harry Mason; apple preserves, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; plum preserves, Mrs. Harry Mason, Mrs. J. H. Pettit; quince preserves, Mrs. A. M. Hiatt; watermelon preserves, Mrs. W. A. Tapp, Mrs. C. J. Farrell; strawberry preserves, Mrs. J. H. Pettit; crab apple preserves, Mrs. Joe Napier; grape preserves, Mrs. M. G. Neathery, Mrs. Harry Mason; cucumber pickles, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; relish, Mrs. Joe Napier, Mrs. M. G. Neathery; chow chow, Mrs. M. G. Neathery, and Mrs. Harry Mason; water melon chow chow, Mrs. Mary Hardage, Mrs. C. J. Farrell.

### Rayland News.

Rayland, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—The Antelope school opened Monday with good attendance. Prof. Alcorn of Hunt county is principal. Miss Laura Sweatmon, of Fargo, is assistant.

Singing at the Methodist Church Sunday night was well attended. Dr. Minnie O. Parrish and brother, Will, of Vernon, visited in the Rayland community Friday afternoon.

A. K. Edens, Allen French, and De Witt Edwards are hauling coal for the gin this week.

Ewald, Alma and Emma Schroeder, of Thalia, attended singing at Rayland Sunday night.

Rev. John Carney of Fort Worth preached at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Several of the young people of this community attended the party Saturday night given by Miss Alma Schroeder of Thalia.

L. G. Lawhorn and W. A. Walker were business visitors in Vernon Saturday.

Arthur Phillips and family of Thalia spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Abston.

Mrs. Conrad is very sick with pneumonia at this writing. Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German visited their daughter, Mrs. A. T. Beazley, of Vernon Saturday.

B. P. Abston was in Vernon Saturday after a load of lumber for his new barn.

L. G. Lawhorn and daughters, Misses Clyde and Hudia and Dr. and Mrs. R. D. German attended the County Fair in Vernon Wednesday.

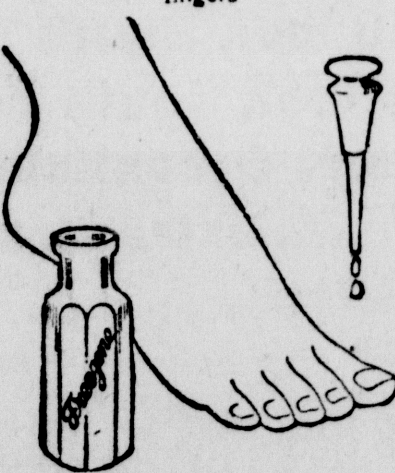
Mr. and Mrs. Flemmings, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Gamble, Miss Laura Flemmings and Miss Cato of Thalia attended preaching at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Some of the people have begun picking cotton while others are busy putting up their bumper feed crop.

J. M. Corley, who has been here for several days prospecting, left Wednesday for Wimsboro and other East Texas points. Mr. Corley is a brother-in-law of Judge J. O. Rouse of this city and says he may locate in Vernon.

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### Fargo News.

Fargo, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—Mason Bros. Gin has been opening fast and pickers are badly needed.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Golins returned Friday from a few days' visit to Burnett and Oklaunion.

Misses Jennie McLaughlin, Mae and Minnie Crisp, Lois Hays, Bryan Lovelace and baby, Miss Belva McGehee, J. M. Keese, D. J. Wilhelm, Roy Owens, W. W. Chennault, F. M. Collum, Tom Mason, Shellie Lovelace, Clarence Wilhelm, Charlie Bryant, J. T. Marr, Jess Parker and Cecil Golins were Vernon visitors last week.

Lois Rhea is on the sick list this week.

Rev. H. F. and Mrs. Brooks of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. James Stafford last week.

Mrs. Dan Coffey gave the young people a singing Sunday evening. It was led by Mrs. D. L. Lovelace.

The Salvation Army quota for Fargo was \$140.00, but the committee only collected \$53.00. One young man who is picking cotton in the community gave \$1.00. He said when he was in the hospital the Salvation Army gave him \$1.00 worth of candy and he appreciated their work.

Charlie Mason spent the week-end at home. He is attending the Deatur Baptist College.

The Church of Christ has decided to have preaching services monthly.

Mrs. Howard Hoosier and baby of Doans spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. J. S. Cartwright.

R. E. Owens and family of Doans spent Sunday with J. L. Crisp and family.

W. C. Winslett returned from Vernon last week where he nursed two cases of typhoid fever.

J. L. Crisp and D. J. Wilhelm are hauling out lumber to build barns on H. M. Coffey's place and Mr. Wilhelm's farm.

Mrs. John Mason and children of Sherwood visited Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin and family, Saturday. Misses Jennie and Mable McLaughlin accompanied her home.

R. L. Sellers and family of Tolbert visited T. M. Dennis and family Sunday.

T. C. and Jess Mason have bought a Traffic truck.

Mrs. C. S. Smith has been quite ill the past few days.

Mrs. Mae Adams is able to be up after several weeks of typhoid fever.

Miss Ethel Hood of Vernon is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dan Coffey.

Miss Lucile McDonald visited her parents Sunday. She is attending high school in Vernon.

Lee Coleman and Guy Williams of Vernon were Fargo visitors Sunday.

Misses Chaudie Bargdoll and Ruth Carney of Vernon visited Ethel Sweatmon Sunday evening.

### Trained Nurse Gains 22 Pounds

"Tanlac Is a Perfectly Wonderful Medicine," Says Mrs. Josephine Freeman.

Mrs. Josephine Freeman, of 617 Towne avenue, Los Angeles, Calif., a graduate nurse who has practiced her profession for seventeen years, recently made the statement that she has not only been relieved of a case of stomach trouble of ten years standing by the use of Tanlac, but that she had also gained twenty-two pounds in weight.

"I feel that I would be doing anyone a good turn by getting them to take Tanlac," said Mrs. Freeman. "For ten years I had been having trouble with my stomach. I suffered intense pains after eating and would bloat up with gas so the pressure around my heart would almost faint. I was so nervous I could hardly sleep and became so weak and rundown that I could hardly keep on my work as a nurse. I tried all kinds of medicines but nothing would relieve me.

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### ALABAMAN BUYS LEASES.

Man Who Introduced Alfalfa Into Home State Impressed With Chance for Oil Here.

C. C. Clay of Alabama was on the streets of Vernon Tuesday, talking with a number of lease owners in the country north of town. He was greatly impressed with the oil prospects in this county and bought several leases in the Tolbert district while here.

Mr. Clay is vice president of a bank in his home town, and is a farmer of some note, owning several plantations in Alabama. He is the man who introduced alfalfa into his home state.

Bob Bonar of Crowell was a visitor in Vernon Sunday.

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E. J. Smith, family and mother, Mrs. Anna Smith, were in Vernon Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Smith is connected with the Smith Auto Sales Company.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Stephenson left Wednesday for their home in Sidney, Ohio, after a several days' visit in Vernon with their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Baker.

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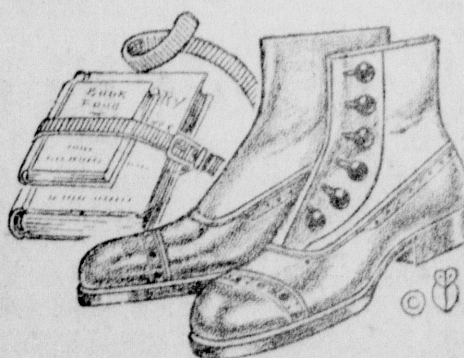
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Vernon, Texas, Friday, Oct. 3, 1919

### ONE WAY TO GET MORE PAY

The clamor for higher wages grows louder, but with few exceptions production does not increase. Perhaps the best evidence of this is inability of manufacturers to fill orders. It is so with various kinds of paper which The Record tries to buy, and if evidence that it is general is needed to convince the reader, then ask the shoe dealer, the dry goods merchant, or the farm implement dealer. Production is insufficient.

There may be many reasons for delayed freight shipments. Congestion is perhaps unavoidable. It is undoubtedly true, however, that railroad workers are making little effort to expedite freight shipments. Quick shipping is equivalent to increased production.

To bring it closer home, a man has been trying in Vernon to get men to put in a wheat crop for him. He found a man last week who was willing to do the work provided he and his young son were paid \$5 a day. That amount was not unreasonable for the man. It was excessive for the boy.

What we must learn is that increased production is necessary for increased pay. It is as inexorable as that man must eat to live; and usually the man who produces more is paid more.

The brotherhoods, agitating for control of railroads; labor unions, demanding shorter hours; individuals, asking what has recently been regarded as almost princely pay—all must learn that the only thing that can permanently advance a man's pay is efficiency. Efficiency means increased production.

Unior labor has done little so far to encourage increased production. One way it can do that is by ranking its members, instead of grouping on a single pay basis for a given trade. If its leaders are wise they will begin urging efficiency as strongly as they urge higher pay and shorter hours.

America must produce more or pay less.

### GETTING MORE FOR COTTON.

Farmers must not get the notion that they are not profiting as a result of growing longer staple cotton this year because buyers are paying as much for short as for long staple. This complaint has been made, and assuming that it is true, then the farmers who planted long staple cotton are helping their less progressive brothers get a better price.

It is undoubtedly true, too, that as the season advances buyers will not pay as much for short as for long staple cotton. They will not do it because they can not dispose of the short lint for as much as is paid for longer lint. If as much is paid for short staple as for long throughout the season, then the entire community has profited—unless the community should decide that there is no use growing the longer staple variety.

The presence in Vernon of four or five buyers representing firms who had stopped buying here because of short lint is indisputable evidence that the farmers who are growing long

staple varieties this year are receiving more for their cotton than would have otherwise been possible.

It would be a calamity if Wilbarger county farmers should ever again grow a grade of cotton which causes reputable firms to blacklist this market.

Americans are unpardonably overworked if one may judge from casual comment. Nine men out of ten in Vernon are overworked. They admit it. So are the boys, and most of the girls. Isn't it true that the hardest work a great many people do is in keeping out of making productive effort? And if it is true that men and women are working hard, wouldn't it be better to say less about it—at least, isn't it likely to result in a determination on the part of the young people that they will not work so hard? Few of those who admit they are overworked show any ill effects of it. The finest legacy possible to leave the young people of Vernon is a love of hard work and a belief in the truth that hard work is beneficial to the individual, as well as to the community.

Congratulations are due the farmers, women, club boys and girls, and others who are helping make the County Fair a success. The exhibits there are remarkable, even though a bounteous nature provided a growing season unusually favorable. It is not too much to say that no one other undertaking does more to create community spirit and an appreciation of one's home county than does the County Fair.

### White City News.

White City, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—A nice rain fell here the past week. The farmers hope to see some warm dry weather now for awhile, so the cotton will open more rapidly. Quite a few have begun picking. Most everywhere there is a demand for cotton pickers. Very little cotton suffered from dry weather, therefore the crop is the best for many years.

School at this place Sunday. Everyone is urged to attend more regularly. A large crowd attended singing at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Adams Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. J. Dunson returned Sunday after visiting since Thursday with their daughter near Harold.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White of Vernon spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Audrey Priddy returned the past week from a trip to the South Plains.

There will be service at the White City Church Sunday morning. All members are urged to be present for the purpose of calling a pastor for the following year. There will also be services in the afternoon in behalf of

### Man's Trouble Arrested.

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## FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN

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Washington, D. C., Oct. 3.—Disturbances with cross continent October 5 to 9, 10 to 14 and 14 to 18. Warm waves will reach Vancouver about October 4, 9 and 13 and temperatures will rise on all the Pacific slope. They will cross crest of Rockies by close of October 5, 10 and 14, plains sections 6, 11 and 15, meridian 90, great lakes, middle Gulf States and Ohio. Tennessee valleys 7, 12 and 17. Storm waves will follow about one day behind warm waves and cool waves about one day behind storm waves.

These weather events will dominate the weather of North America from near October 4 to 19. Temperatures will closely follow the seasonal declines, but a great fall will have resulted from October 1 to 9 and then a great rise from 9 to 21. Storm forces will be more intense and rains will generally increase during the five days centering on 13, and following that disturbance frosts will occur in middle provinces of Canada and in northern tier of States east of Rockies.

Weather of these two weeks will be favorable to winter grain and last half of October will be still more favorable, although the dangerous storms during the last week centering on October 25 will do damage in some sections. A severe cold wave and killing frosts are expected north of the cotton States in the middle west during that week.

The program of storm forces is arranged this way: Moderately severe storms during the week centering on October 21. Much greater storms for weeks centering on October 25, November 24, December 23. Precipitation is expected to increase with the increase in the intensity of the storms. Heavy

the Seventy-Five Million Dollar Campaign for the Baptist Church. Rev. W. T. Rouse and Geo. J. Mason will be among the speakers.

Roy Thompson left Sunday night for Decatur where he will be a student in Decatur Baptist College.

Mrs. W. D. Slaven and three small children are visiting her daughter at Bonham, Texas.

J. W. Reeves returned Sunday from a visit to East Texas.

Among those in Vernon Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Olive, Turner Letcher, Mr. Rix and son, Maurice, Seymour Dunson, Dargell Sloven, Mrs. J. H. Adams, Carye and Una Mae Adams, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Priddy and

snows in November and December are expected in snow sections. But the sections lying north of high ridges or mountain ranges running east and west will get the short end of these precipitations. The moisture to water the continent must continue to come from the Gulf of Mexico at least till end of October and those ridges and mountain ranges will cause the precipitation to accumulate south of them, as has occurred in South Dakota.

There are two distinct, separate systems of weather forecasting. One is known as longrange, the other as shortrange. The two systems can not be united. Those who operate the U. S. Weather Bureau know nothing about the longrange system and are not competent to operate it. We who operate the longrange system are not prepared to operate the shortrange system. The latter is exceedingly expensive, costing millions; the longrange system is inexpensive as compared with the shortrange used by the U. S. Weather Bureau.

I am advising farmers and planters to hold their grain and cotton till the overshadowing questions are settled involving the peace and league of nations. Natural and fair market values can not prevail till peace is declared and complete preparations made to enforce peace.

Farmers, planters, stock raisers are slowly awakening to their vital interests. Unless they thoroughly organize they will be trampled into the soil that feeds the world. As compared with organized capital and labor the agricultural sections have not as much chance to escape from destruction as a cat without claws would have in the inferno.

family, Misses Emma Lou Covert and Alice Starr, L. A. Anderson, Luther and Albert, Gauntt, Charlie Coffey, Luke and Clint White, W. B. Germany, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stroud, Brownlow Humphrey.

J. H. Adams, J. M. Knapp and W. H. Olive made a business trip to Fort Worth and Dallas Friday, returning Monday.

W. R. Minter recently returned from a trip to the Plains. He purchased land while there.

Arnold Rucker, Thomas Houston, and Lee Allen Beverly of Crowell were in Vernon Wednesday, attending the Wilbarger County Fair.

J. F. Preston, representing the J. I. Case Company of Dallas, is in Vernon in the interest of his firm during the Fair.

Ed Newton arrived Monday from Fort Worth to spend some time in Vernon for his health.

J. E. Jacobs and John Rhoads of Dallas are in Vernon representing the Moline Implement Company at the Wilbarger County Fair.

Miss Ella Edgin was among the visitors from Crowell to the Fair Wednesday.

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J. L. Martin of Floydada is in Vernon prospecting.

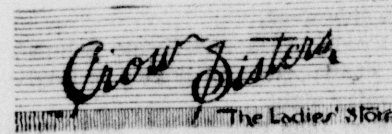


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Five-year commercial lease on acreage in section adjoining the section on which the Vernon Oil Development Company in Wilbarger County is now drilling. Will sell 20, 40 or 60 acres at \$25 per acre. This lease carries a 50-cent annual rental. This is owner of lease and not a broker.

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Large Crisco	- - - -	\$ 2.35
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Comb Honey 10 lbs., South Texas,		2.50
Comb Honey 5 lbs., South Texas		1.30
Creamery Butter, Brookfield, 15 oz.		.60
Sweet Corn No. 2, extra standard		.20
Kerosene, 5 gallons,	- - - -	.65

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We deliver bills of \$5.00 or more every morning, but do not make deliveries in afternoon.

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Carefully Selected Pullets and Hens Will Produce Plenty of Eggs  
If They Are Given Properly Balanced Rations Generously  
and Regularly; Some Tested Mixtures.

Mrs. Hen, veteran, and Miss Pullet, "rookie" of the laying flock, will produce plenty of eggs during the fall and winter months if they are properly fed and carefully managed.

Investigations of the United States Department of Agriculture show that general purpose pullets will consume in a year an average of 6.7 pounds of feed to one dozen eggs produced, while yearlings will eat about 9.6 pounds of feed. In these experiments the Leghorn pullets ate 4.8 pounds and the yearling 5.5 pounds of feed for the production of one dozen eggs. The general-purpose pullets ate 1.9 pounds more feed in producing one dozen eggs than the Leghorn pullets, and the difference increased very rapidly with the age of the stock, the general-purpose yearlings consuming 4.1 pounds more feed to a dozen eggs than the Leghorn yearlings; therefore, the Leghorns produced eggs more cheaply than the general-purpose breeds. This is in accordance with the general accepted standards which value the general-purpose breeds most highly for market or for the matching and breeding purposes of the general farmer and backyard poultry raiser, while the Leghorns are especially adapted for use on commercial egg farms.

Profitable egg production is largely the result of properly balanced rations of wholesome feeds. A balanced ration is a combination of feeds furnishing just the necessary amount of nutrients to produce the highest and most economical egg yields and maintain the body requirements at the same time. A good egg-laying ration should include a scratch mixture and a mash composed of palatable feeds containing some animal protein and considerable bulk. Corn and wheat are the two best grains for poultry feeding, although wheat can be fed better than corn, which is inclined to be fattening. Oats and barley, on account of their higher fiber content, are not as good as corn and wheat, while rye is not well relished by fowls and is seldom fed. Moldy grains should never be fed poultry, although wheat screenings or slightly damaged grain sometimes may be used to advantage.

### Menu Makeups for Biddy.

A good mash consists of 16 pounds of corn meal, 6 1-2 pounds of meat scrap, 1 pound of bran, and 1 pound of middlings, which should be fed supplementary to the scratch mixture of 1 pound each of cracked corn, wheat, and oats. Another good mash consists of 2 pounds of corn meal or barley meal, 1 pound of middlings, 1 pound of meat or fish scrap, which should be fed in combination with a scratch mixture of 2 pounds of cracked corn, 1 pound of oats, or 1 pound of wheat or barley. A third valuable mash consists of 3 pounds of corn meal, 1 pound of meat scrap, which should be fed in combination with the scratch mixture of 2 pounds of cracked corn and 1 pound of oats. Still another practical mash mixture consists of 9 pounds of corn meal, 5 pounds of middlings, 4 pounds of bran, 2 pounds of cottonseed or gluten meal, 2 pounds of meat scrap, 2 per cent bone meal, fed in connection with a scratch combination of 2 pounds cracked corn, 1 pound of wheat, 1 pound of oats, and 1 pound of barley.

The scratch mixture should be fed twice daily, preferably in litter from 3 to 5 inches deep on the floor of the henhouse, feeding about one-third of the mixture in the morning and two-thirds in the afternoon. The mash may be fed dry or wet, although the dry mash is more common, it being kept constantly before the fowls in the hopper. If hens show a tendency to become too fat, make them work for their feed by feeding the scratch grain in a deep litter, by feeding less scratch grain, and by reducing the quantity of meat scrap in the mash.

The feeder must exercise his own judgment in deciding how much grain to supply, as the amount should vary with the different fowls and at different seasons of the year.

Generally a good standard is to feed about one quart of scratch grains and an equal weight of mash (1 1-2 quarts daily) to 13 hens of the general-purpose breeds, such as the Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds or Wyandottes, or to 16 hens of the smaller or egg breeds. This would be about 7 1-2 pounds each of scratch grains and of mash daily to 100 Leghorns. If hens have free range or large yards containing green feed a general-purpose hen will eat about 75 pounds of feed in a year and a Leghorn will eat about 55 pounds, in addition to the green stuff consumed.

### Hens Need Plenty of Protein.

Meat scrap or some animal feed high in protein is one of the important constituents of the mash. In the Government experiments a pen of pullets on free range, which received no meat scrap or animal protein feed, laid only 90 eggs each in a year, compared with yields of from 125 to 150 eggs each from fowls fed rations containing meat

scrap. The eggs from the pen where no meat scrap was fed cost 2.2 cents more a dozen for feed than when the meat scrap was used in the ration. Fish meal or fish scrap can be used to replace the meat scrap and compares favorably with the good grade of meat scrap containing the same per cent of protein. Skim milk or buttermilk, either sweet or sour, is excellent for replacing part or all of the meat scrap. The milk may be used in mixing the mash if a mash is fed, or it can be kept before the fowls as a drink. If clabbered and fed thick or like cheese, hens will eat more of it to replace all the meat scrap needed. A little bone meal makes an excellent addition to the mash or it can be used to replace part of the meat scrap. Green cut none, if fresh and sweet, will also take the place of meat scrap if fed daily at the rate of one-third to one-half ounce to the hen.

### Thompson News.

Thompson, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—Most people of this community are busy picking cotton.

Friends and Mr. Long and Mrs. Bourland will be sorry to hear of the death of their sister, Mrs. Carter, who lived near Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Sherman and little daughter, Mattie K., visited friends in Oklahoma Sunday.

Miss Louise Gaston of Vernon spent the week-end with homefolks.

Howard Aderholt, who has been visiting relatives and friends of this community has returned to Camp Pike, Ark., where he has been stationed since his return from overseas.

O. E. Sherman and daughter, Carolyn, were Vernon visitors Monday.

Misses Bertha and Benia Pittman of Harrold are visiting W. W. Jackson and family this week.

Mr. Gaston and family visited Mr. Lawless and family Sunday.

Misses Madge and Naoma Attaway have gone to Paducah. They will make their home there with their aunt, Mrs. Wilkerson, and attend school at that place the following term.

Mrs. W. W. Jackson visited her sister, Mrs. D. B. Harvey, Saturday.

Mrs. Lawless is sick at this writing.

Mr. Highsmith of near Tolbert was prospecting in this community Monday.

E. N. McNeely, O. E. Sherman and two sons, Everett and Henry, and W. W. Jackson were Vernon visitors Tuesday.

Emmet Cox has gone to Fort Worth after cotton pickers.

### Money to Loan.

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If tongue is coated, breath bad,  
stomach sour, clean liver  
and bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels, without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Adv. No. 30

### Wildcat News.

Wildcat, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—Mrs. Joe Fulton and son and daughter, returned to their home at Addington, Okla., Saturday. Tut Hildebrand, Mrs. Fulton's brother, accompanied her home to spend a few days. He will visit in Walters, before returning.

Oscar Burk returned home Friday from Raucha, New Mexico. His health is greatly improved. He says crops out there are good this year. He brought back a cabbage head that weighed 24 pounds.

Mrs. Will Nunn and family spent Sunday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nunn in the Red Bluff community.

The party given Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick, was enjoyed by young and old.

Allan Rusk, who has been working in the oil mill at Wichita Falls is here now and will pick cotton this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tombs and Aaron Tombs of Odell, Miss Lizzie Hix of Vernon, C. A. Allingham and sister of Vernon, their niece from Idaho, and Misses Ada and Maude Hildebrand, Mack Fulton and John Hildebrand were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Luttrell Sunday.

Miss Alta Lee Curry spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Kate Roark.

### West Vernon News.

West Vernon, Oct. 2.—(By special correspondence.)—Miss Seva Anderson spent Sunday with Misses Lora and Lexie Johnston of Vernon.

Miss Nell Hughes and Clayton Messick spent Sunday evening with Miss Nellie King.

R. C. Anderson went to Iowa Park on a business trip Friday. He will probably be gone a week or more.

### Remember.

If you want the best the market affords in the way of cutlery and everything in the way of hardware, queensware, enamelware and aluminum, see J. R. Renfro. 71-1te

### Cincinnati Wins Two Straights.

Cincinnati won the first two games of the World Series by scores of 9 to 1 and 4 to 2. These games were played Wednesday and yesterday in Cincinnati. The teams play in Chicago today.

For sale—Winter barley seed. See J. H. Pettit. Adv. 74-1te

Dr. Sumrow Greene returned Tuesday from a trip to Fort Worth and Dallas on professional business.

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. B. Loye, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-1te

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Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kieschnick on Sunday, October 28, a girl. Mr. Kiechnick lives about eight miles northwest of Vernon.

**ITCH!**

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Herschel Brooks visited friends and relatives in Vernon Thursday. He is attending the Decatur Baptist College.

Cecil Storey returned Tuesday night from a business trip to Wheeler county.

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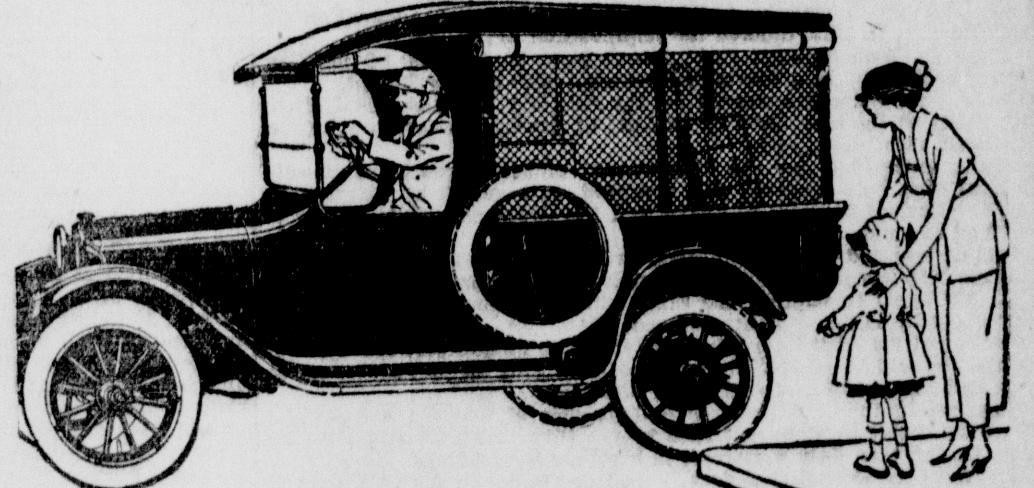
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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$683,253.90	Capital	\$ 75,000.00
U. S. Bonds	102,000.00	Surplus	115,900.00
U. S. Treas. Certificates of Indebt.	210,000.00	Profits	17,145.79
City of Vernon Bonds	3,500.00	Circulation	73,200.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	5,700.00	DEPOSITS	1,075,400.20
Real Estate, Furniture & Fixtures	15,900.00		
Cash and Sight Exchange	336,272.90		
Total	\$1,355,725.90	Total	\$1,355,725.90

I hereby certify that the above statement is correct.

G. C. MORRIS, Cashier.

We wish to thank our friends for this expression of confidence in us. It signifies that we have rendered good service. We have endeavored to do this in line with conservative banking principles. We welcome any expressions from our friends as to improving this service.

## The Herring National Bank



PRIZES AWARDED TO MEMBERS OF BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS

Awards Are Made in Poultry and Canning Clubs for First, Second and Third Year—Lila Alfred of Route 2, Chillicothe Has Most Complete Exhibit at County Fair.

Everett Sherman won first prize in the first year of the boys and girls poultry club, and was awarded \$7.50. He exhibited Rhode Island Red chickens. Second prize of \$5 was awarded Ruth Tisdal on White Rocks. Third prize of \$3 was awarded to Ruby Sellers on White Wyandottes. Onetta Henderson won fourth prize of \$2 on White Leghorns.

The prizes for second year members were awarded as follows: Rama Parline, \$7.50, on Black Langshans; Pearl Mathus, \$5, White Leghorns; Carolyn Sherman, \$3, Rhode Island Reds; Ruth Prescott, \$2, Brown Leghorns.

Alma Schroeder won the first prize of \$7.50 for the third year's work on an exhibit of White Leghorns. Second prize of \$5 went to Pearl Mathus on Buff Wyandottes. Lois Birchfield won third prize of \$3.

Lois Birchfield won first prize of \$2 on exhibit of eggs; Gladys Woods, second; James Hudson, third; Ruby Sellers fourth. Second prize was \$1. For third and fourth prizes ribbons were given.

A special prize of \$2.50 was given Carolyn Sherman for having the best cockerel, second prize of \$1.50 went to Everett Sherman. Ruth Tisdal won \$2.50 for having the best pullet, and Douglas Wallace won \$1.50 for second.

prize pullet. Prizes of \$2 and \$1 were given Gladys Woods and Ruby Sellers for having the best and second prize chicken coops.

In the canning clubs, prizes for the first year went to Julia Morris of Harrold, \$7.50; Lona Roper, Route 3, Vernon, \$5; Jones Gilbert, Route 2, Vernon, \$3; Ada Hildebrand, Route 3, Vernon, \$2. Second year awards were made to Lila Alfred, Route 2, Chillicothe, \$7.50; Lona Killingsworth, Route 2, Tolbert, \$5; Allen Golden, Route 2, Tolbert, \$3. Third year awards were made to Leslie King, Oklaunion, \$7.50; Lillie Inman, Route 2, Tolbert, \$5; Melissa Inman, Route 2, Tolbert, \$3; Jessie Jones, Route 2, Tolbert, \$2.

Lila Alfred, a second year girl, won the award for having the most complete exhibit. She was given \$7.50 and a trip to the State Fair.

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Mrs. L. J. Massie and daughter, Miss Catherine, arrived Wednesday from Long Beach, Calif., and will make their home in Vernon. Mr. Massie, who has been in Vernon for some time, has bought the R. H. Nichols home on West Texas street.

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J. H. and E. L. Pendleton returned Wednesday from a three days business trip to Dallas.

Notice to Property Owners.

I, S. H. Hall, City Secretary of the City of Vernon, in pursuance of the hereinafter set out resolution, do hereby give notice by publication of the same of the matters and things therein contained, which said resolution is as follows:

Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Vernon, determining the necessity of levying an assessment against the property and the owners thereof on portions of West Paradise, and East Wilberger streets for a part of the cost of improving said streets and fixing a time for a hearing of the owners or agents of said owners of said property as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Vernon's Revised Statutes of Texas and the Ordinances and Charter of the City of Vernon, and directing the City Secretary to give notice of said hearing, and examining and approving the statement or report of the City Engineer.

Whereas, the City Commission has heretofore by resolution adopted on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1919, ordered the improvement of:

Section No. 1, West Paradise street from a point 20 feet east of the West line of Main street to the East line of Tolar street; 3620 feet by 30 feet.

Section 7, East Wilberger street from the East line of Cumberland street to the City limits on the east; 3900 feet by 16 feet; by paving the same out of the materials therein mentioned; and:

Whereas, specifications for the improvement of said streets out of said materials have been duly prepared and approved, as required by Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, and the Ordinances and Charter of the City of Vernon; and:

Whereas, as required by said Statutes, Ordinances and Charter, after advertisement for bids on said respective materials had been made, said work was let to H. K. McCollum to improve the same with a one-course concrete pavement, as provided by said specifications; and:

Whereas, a written contract has been entered into by and between the City of Vernon and the said H. K. McCollum on the 1st day of August, 1919, for the construction and performance of said work, therefore:

Be it Resolved by the City Commission of the City of Vernon:

1. That the report or statement filed by the City Engineer with the City Commission, having been duly examined, is hereby approved.

2. That the City Commission does hereby determine to assess a part of the cost of the said improvements against the owners of the property abutting thereon, and against their property, in accordance with the terms of Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas, and the ordinances and charter of the City of Vernon; that the said assessment shall be made after the notice to such property owners and the hearing hereinafter mentioned, and that the said portion of the said cost of improvements to be assessed against such property owners shall be in accordance with the front foot plan or rule in the proportion that the frontage of the property of each owner bears to the frontage of the whole property to be improved, provided that after such hearing, if such plan of apportionment be found to be not just and equitable the City Commission shall so apportion all said cost as to produce a substantial equality between such property owners, having in view the enhanced value of their property and the benefits derived from such improvements and burdens imposed upon them by such assessment, and that in no event shall any assessment be made against any owner or his property in excess of the enhanced value of such property by means of such improvement.

That the total proportionate part of the cost of such improvements which is contemplated to be assessed against such owners and their properties, and the names of the owners of property abutting upon said streets aforesaid, proposed to be improved, and the description of their property, and the several amounts proposed to be assessed against them respectively for paving and for curb and gutter, and the grand total thereof is as follows:

State of Texas, County of Wilbarger, City of Vernon: ss. To the Honorable City Commission of the City of Vernon, Texas: I, A. J. Robinson, City Engineer of said City, pursuant to a resolution passed by the City Commission on the 21st day of July, 1919, do submit the following statement containing the names of persons, firms, or estates, owning property abutting on East Wilberger street from the East line of Cumberland street to a point opposite the E. E. corner of Block 12, E. H. and Sillierley Addition to the City of Vernon, and known as Section No. 7, also West Paradise street from a point 20 feet East of the West line of Main street to the East line of Tolar street, known as Section 1, by raising, grading and filling the same and by installing curbs and gutters thereon and paving the same with concrete in accordance with the contract entered into by said City with H. K. McCollum, and the undersigner respectfully certifies and reports the front feet owned by each with the description of such property by lot and block number, or otherwise sufficient to identify the same or as is more fully hereinafter set forth:

Section No. 7.									
Owners Name	No of Lot	No. Block	Addition	No. Property Pt.	Cost of Paving	No. Ft. C. & G.	Cost Curb & Gutter	Total Cost	
W. R. Piper	15	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
C. M. Ladd	16	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
R. E. L. Wood	17	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. J. J. Ledgerwood	18	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
D. H. Henry Estate	19	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
A. P. Howard	20	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Trustees Central Christian Church	21	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. E. Allison	22	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
C. W. Weekly	23	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Joe B. White	24	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. H. Withers Estate	25	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
C. Cook	26	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Guy Cain	27	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. W. Bennett	28	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. D. R. Taylor	29	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
S. C. Hogsett	30	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. H. Trout	31	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. T. Hoffman	32	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
H. V. Moore	33	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
W. O. Smith	34	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. S. Blanton	35	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Martin Eldredge	36	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
E. S. Hendrick	37	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
F. W. Grogan	38	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Walter Hawkins	39	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Charley Thompson	40	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. M. B. Smith	41	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
C. M. Ladd	42	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. P. King	43	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	

P. M. Morris	44	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. Grace Jennings	45	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
W. E. Gandy	46	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
W. A. Lammore	47	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
T. J. Julian	48	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. J. Bratten Estate	49	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Cunningham R.	50	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
J. Y. Scott	51	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
A. H. Tolbert	52	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Evangelical Lutheran Church	53	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Henry Rogers	54	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
C. P. Smith	55	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Miss Rebecca Crow	56	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. Lou Winn	57	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. Lou Winn	58	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Mrs. Lou Winn	59	O. T.	110	110	204.79			204.79	
Totals	59		648	648	132,834.20			132,834.20	

The cost of above per front foot is \$2.7708 for paving and \$1.05 for combination curb and gutter. I further certify that the estimated total cost of said improvement is the sum of \$25,465.74, and that the total cost proposed to be assessed against the owners and their property is as follows:

Total cost to property owners less curb and gutter	\$14,541.25
Total cost to City's 14	\$8,924.49
Total cost to property owners for curb and gutter	\$6,774.30
Total	\$20,239.04

Section No. 1.									
Owners Name	No of Lot	No. Block	Addition	No. Property Pt.	Cost of Paving	No. Ft. C. & G.	Cost Curb & Gutter	Total Cost	
J. W. Kerr	10	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. M. O. Parrish	11	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. J. E. McCurdy	12	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. J. E. McCurdy	13	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
R. C. Robertson	14	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. A. W. Hart	15	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Trustees Vernon Public School	16	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. Ira Gaines	17	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
S. S. Sewell	18	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
S. C. Johnson	19	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. L. Pierce	20	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. L. McElroy	21	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
A. Allison	22	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
H. W. Norwood	23	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. H. Huggins	24	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
S. A. Castibordy	25	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. A. Birdsong	26	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Trustees U. S. A. Presbyterian Church	27	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
C. M. Blair	28	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Trustees U. S. A. Pres.	29	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Estates of J. H. Watts	30	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
A. P. McElvey	31	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Harry Mason	32	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. C. Smith	33	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. E. Collins	34	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. H. E. Young	35	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. H. Holmes	36	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
C. E. Basham	37	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
L. A. Foster	38	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. S. Buchanan	39	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
T. A. King	40	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
T. H. Shive	41	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
H. D. Hockersmith	42	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. W. Beckett	43	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Anderson Smith	44	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. M. Hampton, Jr. and R. M. Hampton	45	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. H. Smith Estate	46	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
B. A. Williams	47	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. A. Dixon	48	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
J. A. Nagler	49	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
D. W. Babcock	50	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
A. C. Rayzor	51	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Charles T. Sullivan	52	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
E. P. Hicks	53	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
M. T. Havis and Roscoe Rain	54	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
A. C. Boger	55	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Mrs. Katherine Wagoner	56	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Luther Webb	57	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Daniel Bond	58	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
B. S. King	59	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
W. R. Long	60	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Miss E. Knipp	61	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
E. H. Pigg	62	O. T.	110	110	510.18	130	136.50	646.68	
Totals	62		672	672	342,096.36	8460	89,775.00	431,871.36	

The cost of above per front foot is \$4.638 for paving and \$1.05 for combination curb and gutter. I further certify that the estimated total cost of said improvement is the sum of \$42,744.78, and that the total cost proposed to be assessed against the owners and their property is as follows:

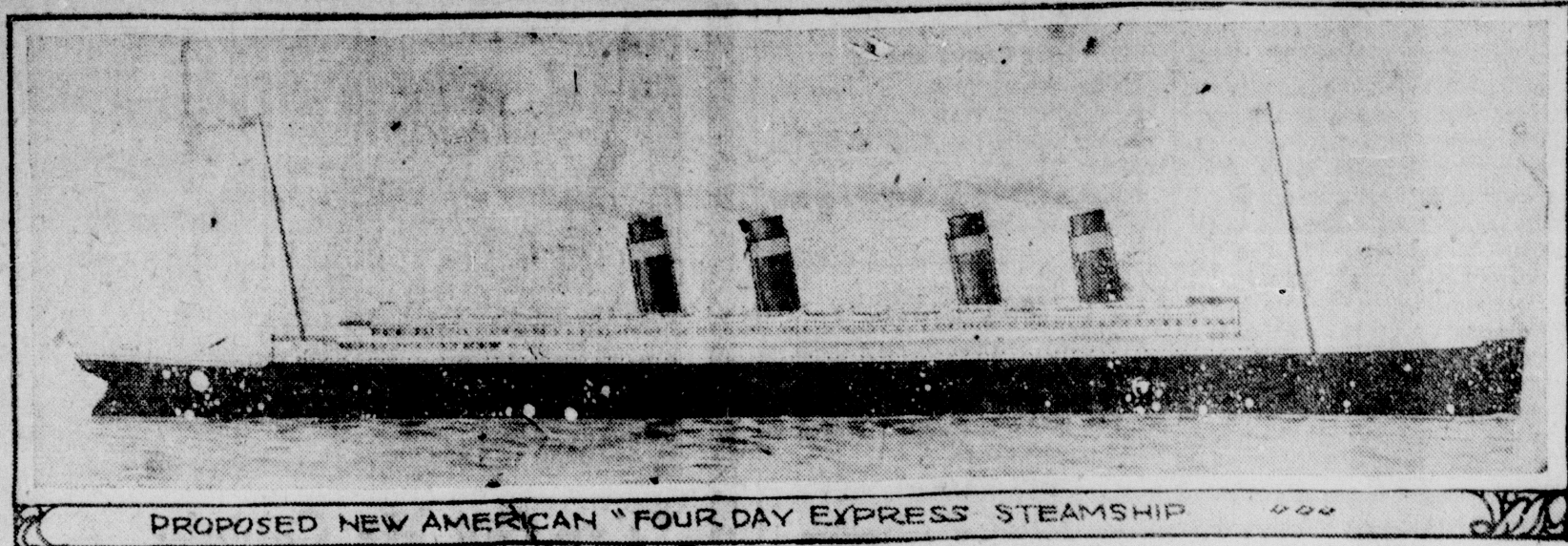
Total cost to property owners less curb and gutter	\$20,600.44
Total cost to City's 14	\$8,661.81
Total cost to property owners for curb and gutter	\$6,774.30
Total	\$35,936.55

A. J. ROBINSON, City Engineer.

That a hearing shall be given to said owners, their agents and attorneys, before the City Commission of the City of Vernon, as provided by Chapter 11, Title 22, Revised Statutes of Texas, and the ordinances and charter of the City of Vernon



## PROPOSED PASSENGER SHIPS TO CROSS THE ATLANTIC OCEAN IN FOUR DAYS WILL BE 1,000 FEET LONG



Two of the largest steamships ever constructed are to be built by the United States Shipping Board for transatlantic trade. They will be 1,000 feet in length and will have a speed of thirty nautical miles an hour. They will be able to make the trip from New York city to Europe in four days. They will be oil burning and the last word in steamship construction.

## WANTED

BRING ME your second hand furniture and get the highest market price. A. C. Hahn. 29-tfc

EXPERIENCED LADY stenographer wants position. Will go out of town. Write or see Celia Johnson, 701 North Bowie Street, Vernon, Texas. 75-3tp

WANTED—A janitor at Court House, etc. 73-3tc

WANTED—Woman to help cook in oil camp. Phone Mrs. Claggett, No. 654. 1tp

HELP WANTED—For general housework. Phone 189. M. G. Neathery. 73-3tc

WANTED—Some girls and women to help in a hotel. Apply to the Mitchell Hotel on North Main street. 74-2tp

WANTED—Enough force to pick 800 pounds of cotton per day. Good 2-room house and plenty of water furnished. See Martin Bildestein 12 miles Southwest of Vernon. 74-2tp

## SPECIAL NOTICE.

NOTICE—40 acres of Iowa Park lease, will exchange for wildcat stuff near Vernon. Max Kanuth. 74-8tp

FREE WOOD—I have several loads of peach wood free. Come get it at once. Max Kanuth. 1tp

POSTED NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that the R. S. Allen place nine miles north of Harrold has been posted according to law. Hunters and fishermen are warned to keep out. C. J. Ferguson, lessee. 55-48tp

I HAVE A LARGE amount of money to loan on farm lands. Long time and low rate of interest. T. P. Lisman. 29-tfc.

## ONE INDIVIDUAL FARM DISPLAY.

Bourland Consolidated School District Only Community to Show at County Fair.

Bourland Consolidated school district received a prize of \$35.00 for their exhibit. Their products are well arranged and from the big pumpkin to the canned fruit, seem to take in all the varieties grown in this county. No other district entered an exhibit this year.

Only one individual farm display was entered this year. A. M. Bourland is owner. Mr. Bourland is a believer in diversified farming and his products range all the way from pears to peas. The fruits earned by Mrs. Bourland are exquisite. A prize of \$15 was given on this exhibit.

The automobile display in the big tent just west of the exhibition hall and agricultural exhibit is visited with much interest by big crowds. The huge trucks, tractors, fine touring cars and roadsters are worth seeing. A DeLo lighting plant is demonstrated in this building.

## \$20 More Storm Relief.

Mayor Harry Mason has received \$20.40 since Tuesday for the storm relief fund. Those contributing are C. J. Huff of Farmers Valley, \$5; J. H. Kinchelee, Route 3, \$10; Church of Christ, Fargo, \$5.40. Mayor Mason hopes that he will be able to forward \$1,000 to Governor Hobby for relief of those who suffered at Corpus Christi. He has already sent about \$850.

Roll top desk for sale. Practically new. C. J. Farrell. Adv. 1tc

List your leases with Lloyd & Company. Booth 106 Oil Exchange building. We sell 'em. 75-8tp

David R. Cornwell, manager of More's Theater, and Mrs. Cornwell will leave Sunday morning for Kansas City, Mo., where he goes to be associated with the Select Film Company.

Roll top desk for sale. Practically new. C. J. Farrell. Adv. 1tc

## FOR SALE

## Real Estate.

FOR SALE—I have some choice residence lots and acreage for sale. Bargains for quick sale. Howard C. Wilson. 1tp

FOR SALE—House and four lots on Texas street, two blocks east of Hotel Vernon. Reason for selling I desire to build on my acreage property west of town. S. E. Lloyd. 73-3tc

FOR SALE—Good six-room residence, close in, price right. Address owner, Box 187. 62-tfc

FOR SALE—At a bargain, one or three sections of land. Part of it can be irrigated at a small cost. Also will lease 165 acres for oil at \$10 per acre. W. M. Roger, Tolbert. 66-16tp

FOR SALE—One lot on South Main and two lots in Southwest Vernon, one block off a popular street. See Leland Abbott at Oil Mill. 74-2tc

## Livestock and Poultry

FOR SALE—3 gallon Jersey milk cow. Apply to L. G. Withers at Conger Sheet Metal Co., 128 West Texas street. 75-3tp

## Miscellaneous.

FOR RENT—A few choice rooms for men only. Newly furnished, all conveniences. Block east of Vernon Hotel. Cottage Rooming House. Phone 57 or see P. A. N. O'Neal. 69-4tp Fri.

FOR SALE—One McCormick header and binder combined, also one wheat drill. Must be sold within next 10 or 15 days. Jake Schmoker, Rt. 4. 75-2tp

FOR SALE—Roll top desk for sale. Practically new. C. J. Farrell. 1tc

FOR SALE—Some nice pears at my orchard 2 1/2 miles from Odell. Price \$1 per bushel. Mrs. J. J. Fain. Phone 404. 74-2tc

FOR SALE—Two farm wagons, two disc plows, one gasoline power hay press. A. G. Hill, Rt. 2, Chillicothe, Texas. 74-2tp

FOR SALE—Practically new Ford Sedan, a real bargain. If you are looking for your money's worth you will buy this car at sight. See Jas. H. Smith at office No. 6, Oil Exchange building. 74-2tp

FOR SALE—One good ten-runner grain drill. See B. H. McDonald or see drill at 606 East Texas street. 74-4tp

FOR SALE—Winter seed barley. See J. H. Pettit. 74-tfc

PEARS FOR SALE—Several thousand bushels of pears for sale. Pick of the orchard for two dollars per bushel; next grade at one-fifty, remainder at one dollar per bushel. Phone your orders to my residence. We will deliver them in Vernon. J. E. Lutz. 75-8tp

## LOST, FOUND OR STRAYED.

LOST—Wednesday afternoon on the Fair grounds, well worn leather purse, containing three keys, empty coin purse, handkerchief, powder box and Chamois skin. Finder please leave at office of Buchanan-Jackson Oil Company over Massie-Shive grocery store or at Record office. 1tp

LOST—Near Odell Saturday night, one new tone electric horn. Finder please return to C. M. Kester, Odell. 1tp

LOST—An Elk breast pin set with a chip diamond and ruby. Finder return to Mrs. H. W. Norwood, 406 West Paradise street and receive reward. 74-2tc

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Storage room for anything. Rates reasonable. See Robert N. Hall or Howard Timberlake at Perkins-Timberlake Co. 72-3tp

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. Can be used for light housekeeping. Apply to Robert Miller at White Garage. 74-2tp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Phone 211. Mrs. W. M. McCaleb. 69-tfc

## LEGAL NOTICES.

Sheriff's Notice of Election. The State of Texas, County of Wilbarger.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 23rd day of October, 1919, at Haulk Schoolhouse, in

## LEGAL NOTICES.

Haulk Hill Consolidated School District order of the County Board of Trustees No. 45, of this county as established by of this county, of date the 16th day of August, 1919, which is recorded in book One, Pages 53 and 54 of the minutes of said court, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified property taxpayers voters of that district desire the issuance of bonds on the faith and credit of said Haulk Hill Consolidated Common School District in the amount of \$3500.00, the bonds to be of the denomination of \$100.00 each, numbered consecutively from one to 35, both inclusive, payable twenty years from their date, and bearing 5 per cent interest per annum, payable annually on April 10th of each year, to provide funds to be expended in payment of account legally contracted in constructing and equipping a public free school building of wood material within said district, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of this county shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually, while said bonds or any of them are outstanding a tax upon all taxable property within said district sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds, and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity. All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and county and who are resident property taxpayers in said district, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this county by order made on the 29th day of September, 1919, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Dated the 29th day of September, 1919. W. A. ISH, 74-4 Sheriff Wilbarger County, Texas.

## OIL MAP OF WILBARGER COUNTY

With all the latest locations. The best and most complete map ever prepared of this county. White prints, \$3.50 on paper, \$6.00 on linen. For sale by

JNO. B. NABERS

County Surveyor, Vernon, Texas.

## THE COTTON SEASON IS HERE.

Our facilities for handling cotton and other farm products are ample and then some. Can insure anything, anywhere, at anytime. Our motto is "SERVICE." Try us. Line up with the oldest agency in Vernon. Rear Waggoner Bank (Known as Old Mc.)

C. S. McCOLLOCH

## New Real Estate Firm

We have opened up a real estate office in Vernon and are here to stay. For quick sales and honest, faithful service, list your property with us. We have a number of good propositions, especially in the way of farms; that might interest you. Come to see us.

PRICE & SIMPSON

1st Fr. Price's Garage, South Cumberland. Phone 383

## CALL THE LAUNDRYMAN

He can tell you how to get rid of your laundry troubles in fifteen minutes. He says that it will only take ten minutes to gather all the linen, shirts and collars and other starch ware together; four minutes to wrap it securely in a bundle, and one minute to call the laundry. Total expenditure of time, fifteen minutes; time saved fifteen hours. And remember, the driver don't only take away your laundry, he gathers all the untidiness and drudgery of washday—and leaves your leisure for more womanly activities.

Send it to the Laundry.

EMPIRE LAUNDRY

PHONE 60

## M. J. MOORE, M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office Phone 26

Residence Phone 362

Accident Insurance that pays claims promptly. What would your family do if you were sick a spell.

E. M. Haney

## L. D. TERRELL

REAL ESTATE, FARM LOANS AND INSURANCE

Bailey Hotel Building Office Telephone 550 Residence 281

## 1,500 Mile Trip FOR ONLY \$25.00

If you want to buy land somewhere, If you have some money with which to buy, If you can buy on your own judgment when you see it?

## YOU ARE INVITED

To join our next Excursion Party to the Lower Rio Grande Valley, Harlingen, Texas, leaving Vernon SUNDAY NOON TRAIN, OCT. 5, 1919, to inspect the Irrigated Farm Lands of

## F. Z. BISHOP

Where you telephone for rain.

Where the Roses bloom in January.

Where the Winters are warm.

Where you can grow 3 crops yearly.

Where you have vegetables continually.

Where the labor problem is solved.

Where hogs and alfalfa thrive.

Where you grow Lemons and Limes.

Where corn makes 100 bushels to acre.

Where you have no crop failures.

Where the Summers are cool.

Where you have no stand-storms.

Where you have no blizzards.

Where you grow Oranges in abundance.

Where game and fish are in abundance.

Where you grow Grapefruit.

Where Dates and Figs grow.

Where you have Strawberries Xmas.

Where you can make \$1000.00 per acre on Cabbage.

Where you can make \$3500.00 per acre of Grapefruit.

Where you can make \$800.00 per acre on Sweet Potatoes.

Where you can make \$1700.00 per acre on Oranges.

Where you can make \$1400.00 per acre on Lemons.

Where you can make \$1500.00 per acre on Strawberries.

Why not let us take you to the people that are doing these things, and "show you," down in the Valley of the Lower Rio Grande, Harlingen, Texas? We will spend Monday, October 6th, at Dallas Fair.

JNO. L. GREENFIELD OR ARLIE BERRY

at Fair Grounds or Stock Exchange, Vernon, Texas

## AUCTION SALE

OWING TO CHANGE IN BUSINESS AND QUITTING THE FARM, I HAVE NO FURTHER USE FOR MY LIVE STOCK AND FARMING EQUIPMENT, AND AM OFFERING MY ENTIRE OUTFIT FOR SALE REGARDLESS OF PRICE. EVERYTHING MUST SELL, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10, AT ONE O'CLOCK SHARP AT MY PLACE THREE-QUARTERS OF A MILE NORTHEAST OF OKLAUNION ON THE BUG-SCUFFLE ROAD, TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED ARTICLES:

1 Pair Work Mares.  
1 Horse.  
1 3-Year-Old Horse.  
1 3-Year-Old Mare.  
3 2-Year-Old Mares.  
1 Yearling Filly.  
Milk Cow and Heifer Calf.  
2 Hogs.  
Chain Harness, Collars and Bridles.  
2 Wagons.

2 Lister Planters.  
2 Wiggle Tail Cultivators.  
1 2-Section Harrow.  
1 7-Foot Deering Binder, nearly new.  
Blacksmith Shop and Tools.  
1 Organ.  
1 Maxwell Automobile.  
Lot of Sweeps, Plows of all kinds.  
Some Household Furniture.

MANY OTHER ARTICLES THAT GO TO MAKE UP A COMPLETE FARMING OUTFIT TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION IN THIS SPACE.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under \$10 cash; over that amount good notes or we would take the money.

FRANK HOBSON

Owner

G. W. RICHARDSON

Auctioneer

## FOR SALE

One complete standard string of tools, heavy California outfit, including engine, boiler, 6-inch rig irons and all rig timbers cut, framed and ready to set up. This outfit is new and on board car at Cisco. \$11,000 for quick sale.

See

A. W. LONGWORTH

Vernon Hotel, or 403 Linz Building, Dallas, Texas





**RENOVN**  
PEANUT BUTTER

**Their Best Peanuts Go Into this Jar**

Texas-grown Spanish and Virginia Peanuts, recognized as the finest grown in America, are blended in wholesome Renown Peanut Butter—a delicious food, indeed!

And only the best grades of both are used, for the house of Boren-Stewart pays a bonus price in both markets in order to send the very best grade to its peanut butter plant.

And that Renown plant would appeal to the food connoisseur; a sun-lit building where cleanliness is a natural law and where well-paid, conscientious employees produce a peanut butter that is superior in quality to any other brand.

Peanut Butter is one of America's accepted foods. Wholesome and nourishing, it has a taste that appeals—particularly to young folks. With Renown Brand at your grocer's you may use all you want with an absolute assurance of uniform quality. Renown is packed in sealed glass jars (with every bit of air excluded by a special vacuum process), guaranteeing freshness, purity and flavor at all times.

**RENOVN COFFEE**  
Arabian Mocha, Genuine Java and seven other good coffees well blended. You can buy no better coffee than Renown.

**RENOVN TEA**  
Has its delicious flavor from famous imported teas of British India and Ceylon. Comes in air-tight tins. Convenient sizes.

**BOREN-STEWART COMPANY**  
Wholesale Grocers and Manufacturers  
Home Office and Factory: Dallas  
Branch Houses: McKinney, Terrell, Paris, Waxahachie, Denton

**RENOVN BRAND:** Canned Fruits (12 Varieties), Canned Vegetables (13 Varieties), Salmon, Shrimp, Mince Meat, Catsup, Soups (17 Kinds), Pimentos, Ice Cream Powder, Jelly Powder, Grape Juice, Apple Vinegar, Spices, Mayonnaise Salad Dressing

## DEALERS RECEIVE PERMITS TO SHIP GRAIN TO MARKET

Local Agent of Denver Believes Relief Is Coming and Congressman Marvin Jones Has Been Promised Relief for Grain Farmers by Railroad Administration.

The receipt within the last few days by local grain dealers of "permits" authorizing the shipment of several cars of grain to Galveston has been instrumental in creating some optimism as to the freight congestion of this section. For some time grain could be moved from Vernon to ports only by special "permit" and during the last several weeks it has been next to impossible to obtain these. In other words, the situation was virtually an embargo.

Local Agent G. H. Wheeler of the Denver interprets the issuance of these recent permits as evidence of coming relief for the shippers in the wheat belt and believes that the dealers will be able to move grain every week from now on.

According to daily press reports, Representative Marvin Jones of Amarillo has received a letter from the Railroad Administration promising relief to "the grain holders of North Texas and the Panhandle." "The Wheat Corporation has advised," the communication stated, "that the outlook for additional tonnage at Galveston is very good, and it anticipates having a sufficient number of boats within the next ten days to relieve the elevator and car congestion."

"Mr. Jones is further advised," says the report, "that instructions are outstanding that preference shall be given to cars loading wheat when the shippers are in a position to ship to a market or a port which can handle the grain promptly on its arrival, so as to

avoid unnecessary delay to equipment."

### Little Wheat Shipped.

Inability to market grain has resulted in a severe financial strain on many farmers in this county and its results are beginning to be felt by the banks of the counties to a degree. The embargo on grain shipments became effective early in the marketing season and before any very great per cent of the crop had been disposed of. Men who are in position to know estimate that not over one-third of the wheat crop of Wilbarger county has been marketed. This means that, up to date, very little financial benefit has been realized from the record breaking crops of Wilbarger county for the money obtained by farmers from cotton is inconsiderable and men in this country are not selling a great deal of feed.

A number of farmers over the county are having to borrow money who have thousands of dollars tied up in grain. Even at that, the conditions are not so bad in Wilbarger as further up in the Panhandle. Few farmers in this county do not have room to house their crops whereas visitors from the Panhandle report that the grain raisers of this section have tons of wheat, maize and every kind of feed stacked on the ground in the fields. This stuff was, of course, exposed to the recent rains in that section and a lot of it is rotting.

### Let Me Move Your House.

I am prepared to move any kind of wooden building and exercise greatest care. My work is guaranteed. Find me at Cameron Lumber Yard. Phone 93.

70-8th Adv. T. P. ADDISON.

### Remember.

If you are looking for the best stove in town, either to keep you warm or to do your baking, see J. R. Renfro. 71-tfe

Top Shell of Fort Worth is visiting his friend, Aubrey Foster.

All kinds of window glass. Prices right. Ferguson Drug Company. 73-4tc

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Salter left last night for Edmond, Okla., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Byron Smith.

J. R. Jones' real estate office is on North Main street in Ferguson building. 42-tf

City property, lands and oil leases. List your stuff with me. J. E. Love, office room 7, Lutz building. 62-tfe

Henry Griddle of Crowell was a visitor to the Fair Wednesday.

Just received a carload of Bewley's Blue Ribbon flour. Phone 82 and order a sack now. Bargdoll & Stanley. 74-2tc

Just received a carload of Bewley's Blue Ribbon flour. Phone 82 and order a sack now. Bargdoll & Stanley. 74-2tc

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Westbrook expect to leave tonight for Atlanta, Ga., to spend about a month visiting relatives.

If you haven't a kodak of your own, we will loan you one free. If you want to buy, we sell the Eastman line. Kramer Studio. Adv. 30-tfe

Mrs. Anne Langley of Austin is here, looking after property interests. Mrs. Langley formerly lived in Vernon.

A fresh supply of Richtone and Richlax. Ferguson Drug Company. 73-4tc

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J. J. Rouse of Winnsboro, Texas arrived this morning on a visit with his sons, Rev. W. T. Rouse and J. O. Rouse.

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A. Allison returned from Canyon to be here for the County Fair. Mr. Allison went to the Plains to finish threshing his wheat.

Miss Alene Rowland has accepted a position as bookkeeper at Parker-Donges Grocery Company. She is a graduate of Holcomb's Training School.

I have buyers for suburban city property. Vacant acreage property at right prices preferred. Either call phone No. 617 or call at my office, J. R. Jones, Agent, Ferguson building, North Main Street. 55-tfe

J. R. Jones' real estate office phone No. 617. His office is located in the Ferguson building on the west side of North Main street, fronting east. Just one door north of Hahn's dry goods store. If you want to buy, sell or rent real estate, you will find it to your interest to phone or call on him. 55-tfe

## At the Churches

### First Baptist Church.

Sunday School, 9:45.  
B. Y. P. U. at 7:15.  
Prayer meeting at 8:15 Wednesday evening.  
Preaching at 11 and 8:15 next Sunday by the pastor.

W. T. ROUSE, Pastor.

### Church of Christ.

Preaching services Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

TOM WALKER, Minister.

### STATE ORGANIZER OF RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION HERE

A. B. Hillan of San Antonio, state organizer of the Retail Merchants Association of Texas, was in Vernon Tuesday. Mr. Hillan found the local organization in good shape. He left for Quanah, and will go from there to Amarillo. Retail merchants are organizing in every town of consequence in the State.

### Notice to Farmers.

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### W. O. W. May Raise Rates.

All members of the W. O. W. Lodge are requested to be at the Lodge Hall Tuesday night. The matter of raising rates will be discussed, and other matters of importance.

L. P. KRAMER, C. C.

E. L. WITTY, Clerk.

### One Marriage License Issued.

The local county clerk has issued marriage licenses this week to George Kent and Alene Carter. The parties were from Cement, Okla.

A. W. Blain of Wellington is in Vernon visiting relatives and looking after his interests here. Mr. Blain formerly lived in Vernon, and still owns considerable farm land in the county.

Miss Inez Robinson will leave tomorrow night for a visit in Dallas.

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